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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37) CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 870.

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REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

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Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests that the Patent Office expeditiously issue a corrected Filing Receipt, to read as follows:

Under "APPLICANT(S)", please **remove** "KURT SCHUPP, OAKVILLE, CANADA," and "PETER TAYLOR, CARLISLE, CANADA". These individuals are not inventors in this application as evidenced by the attached copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney.

A marked-up copy of the Filing Receipt showing the corrections is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: MARCH 26,2002

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Receipt is acknowledged of this nonprovisional Patent Application. It will be considered in its order and you will be notified as to the results of the examination. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please write to the Office of Initial Patent Examination's Customer Service Center. Please provide a copy of this Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts" for this application, please submit any corrections to this Filing Receipt with your reply to the Notice. When the USPTO processes the reply to the Notice, the USPTO will

generate another Filing Receipt incorporating the requested corrections (if appropriate).

Applicant(s)

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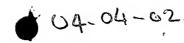
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, dated February 7, 2002, copy attached herewith, applicant submits the following documents:

- 1. Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney; and
- 2. Executed Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity StatusIndependent Inventor.

A check in the amount of \$435.00 is attached which covers the \$370.00 for the basic filing fee and \$65.00 (Small Entity) late surcharge.

It is believed that no additional fee is due, however, should that determination be incorrect, please charge any deficiencies to our Deposit Account No. 19-2105 and notify the undersigned in due course.

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Should the Examiner have any questions or wish to discuss further this matter, please contact the undersigned at the telephone number provided below.

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